

REDS-DODGERS DEAL IS OFF; CHICAGO MAY GET JOE TINKER

Garry Herrmann's Sale of Shortstop Is Forbidden by the Cincinnati Directors; Murphy Re-enters Race for Player.

Joe Tinker is getting closer and closer to Chicago every day. By that we mean that each day the prospects for Joe's return to Cubland looks brighter. Yesterday's sunlight was the brightest of all, and before the day was over President Charles W. Murphy of the Cubs wrote to Garry Herrmann of the Cincinnati club and asked permission to talk with Tinker. He expects a reply today or tomorrow.

The bright part of the Tinker deal, as far as Chicago is concerned, developed yesterday when from Cincinnati it was learned that the board of directors of that club had, at a meeting, failed to ratify the deal recently promulgated by Garry Herrmann with President Ebbets of the Brooklyn club. During the day Herrmann was forced to wire Ebbets and inform him that his board of directors had failed to uphold him in making the recent deal. Herrmann then asked Brooklyn to figure in a deal whereby they give up some valuable players for the demon shortstop, but as Brooklyn is not anxious to part with any of her valuable warriors the prospect of a deal with the Dodgers is not likely. The Dodgers need all of their good men.

Herrmann was threatened by the board of directors of his club with the most signal disgrace to which an active big league executive has ever been called upon to submit.

He had given his word of honor as a gentleman and his binding signature as proper representative of the Cincinnati baseball club to carry through to a successful issue the negotiations with Charles H. Ebbets for the release of

the deposed manager of the Reds. Ebbets has fulfilled to the letter his part of the agreement. It now remains for Herrmann to make good his end or stand dishonored in that profession of which he has always assumed the role of leading hero. With the row among the club officials this seems impossible.

Western Men on Camp's All Star Eleven



Madison, Wis., Dec. 16.—The state's share of boxing receipts for three and one-half months under the Hedding boxing law reached \$3,944 today, with the receipt of a check for \$752 from the state athletic commission. State Treasurer Johnson has required the com-

DUNDEE HELD TO A DRAW

Ohio Sensation Fights N. Y. Italian Twelve Rounds to an Even Break.

Canton, O., Dec. 16.—Johnny Dundee of New York and Johnny Griffiths of Akron, O., fought twelve fast rounds before 5,000 people in the City Auditorium here last night. No decision was given and there was a difference of opinion as to the outcome, the majority of the fight fans and sport writers, however, calling the go a draw. Walter Kelly of Cleveland, who refereed the mill, was among those who

called the bout even in his newspaper decision. Dundee was able to get away to a flying start because his style of fighting was new to Griffiths, as the little Italian, by leaping into the air, made up for lack of reach. Griffiths let Dundee do the forcing throughout, but did clever work on the defense and was able to land his blows frequently. His punch, however, was lacking, as compared to Dundee's. The Akron fighter was much the cooler of the two and at no stage seemed worried. Dundee played hard for the body and succeeded in inflicting considerable punishment with his kidney swings, but Griffiths was there with the hooks, swings and jabs to the face in return.

Either Dundee or Griffiths will fight the winner of the Matty Baldwin-Phil Brock battle at Akron Thursday.

MICHIGAN ELEVEN TO PLAY HARVARD

Wolverines' Request That Game Be Set for Oct. 31 Agreed to by Crimson.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Dec. 16.—Michigan will meet Harvard on the gridiron for the third time in history on October 31, 1914. The other games were played in 1881 and 1895. A telegram was received today from Fred W. Moore, graduate treasurer of the Harvard Athletic association, stating that the date of October 31, suggested by Michigan in preference to October 24, was satisfactory and would be held open pending the approval of the Harvard athletic committee. This means that only minor details are left to demand the attention of the contracting universities, as it is known that the message sent from here last Saturday night contained Michigan's acceptance of the invitation if the game could be staged on October 31, the date refused by Chicago.

CONSTRUCT LINKS AT COLLEGE

New Study Added Feature to University of Illinois Curriculum.

Golf course construction is to be an added feature to the curriculum of the department of horticulture at the University of Illinois, and in furtherance of this scheme the university will shortly acquire enough land to permit of the installation of an eighteen-hole course.

Tom Bendelow, the Chicago expert, was a guest of Prof. Blair at Urbana last week, and, although the big Scotchman has laid out over 500 courses, he is quite willing to admit he got a few pointers while acting as critic on the work of the students.

In his talk to the students Mr. Bendelow stated there are 960 golf courses in England, 388 in Scotland, 138 in Ireland, and 40 in Wales. All the countries, he said, could be dropped into the state of Texas, and as there already are 1,200 golf courses in America it is certain that golf course instruction will be quite a factor in the work of the landscape architect.

Mr. Bendelow inspected the plans of several students who had laid out golf courses and found that they possessed much merit. He impressed upon the professors that a knowledge of golf was necessary to the course architect and his argument carried a lot of weight in the decision to install a bigger course for the use of the students.

Bendelow will leave soon for Excelsior Springs, Mo., where he will lay out a new course.

Alec Christie, the former Homewood pro, will now play with the Ekwanok club of Vermont, arrived yesterday and will stay for several weeks.

R. A. Bowker won the first putting tournament of the season held at the Jackson park clubhouse, 6310 Jackson Park avenue, C. Grapnerhaus finishing second. Over 100 players competed.

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